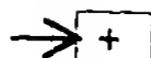


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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 5413P003  
First Inventor Fred P. Reinhard  
Title Apparatus and Method for Membrane Electrolysis Recycling of Process Chemicals  
Express Mail Label No. EV323392935US

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### APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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